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(c) An approved provider that has complied with all prerequisites for applying to act as an approved provider for an additional one year period may continue to operate as an approved provider while its application is under review by the United States Trustee, so long as either the application for an additional one year period is timely submitted, or a provider receives a written extension from the United States Trustee.

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§58.29 Renewal for an additional one year period.

If an approved provider's application for an additional one year period is approved, such renewal period shall begin to run from the later of:

- (a) The day after the expiration date of the immediately preceding approval period; or
- (b) The actual date of approval of such renewal by the United States Trustee.

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§58.30 Mandatory duty of approved providers to notify United States Trustees of material changes.

- (a) An approved provider shall immediately notify the United States Trustee in writing of any material change.
- (b) An approved provider shall immediately notify the United States Trustee in writing of any failure by the approved provider to comply with any standard or requirement specified in 11 U.S.C. 111, this part, or the terms under which the United States Trustee approved it to act as an approved provider.
- (c) An approved provider shall immediately notify the United States Trustee in writing of any of the following events:
- (1) Cessation of business by the approved provider or by any office of the provider, or withdrawal from any federal judicial district(s) where the approved provider is approved;
- (2) Any investigation of, or any administrative or judicial action brought against, the approved provider by any governmental unit;
- (3) Any action by a governmental unit or a court to suspend or revoke

the approved provider's articles of incorporation, or any license held by the approved provider, or any authorization necessary to engage in business; or

- (4) A suspension, or action to suspend, any accreditation held by the approved provider, or any withdrawal by the approved provider of any application for accreditation, or any denial of any application of the approved provider for accreditation; or
 - (5) [Reserved]
- (d) A provider shall notify the United States Trustee in writing if any of the changes identified in paragraphs (a) through (c) of this section occur while its application to become an approved provider is pending before the United States Trustee.
- (e) An approved provider whose name or other information appears incorrectly on the approved list shall immediately submit a written request to the United States Trustee asking that the information be corrected.

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§58.31 Mandatory duty of approved providers to obtain prior consent of the United States Trustee before taking certain actions.

- (a) By accepting the designation to act as an approved provider, a provider agrees to obtain approval from the United States Trustee, prior to making any of the following changes:
- (1) The engagement of an independent contractor to provide an instructional course:
- (2) Any increase in the fees received from debtors for an instructional course or a change in the provider's fee policy;
- (3) Expansion into additional federal judicial districts;
- (4) Any changes to the method of delivery the approved provider employs to provide an instructional course; or
- (5) Any changes in the approved provider's instructional course.
- (b) A provider applying to become an approved provider shall also obtain approval from the United States Trustee before taking any action specified in paragraph (a) of this section. It shall do so by submitting an amended application. The provider's amended application shall be accompanied by a contemporaneously executed writing,